

COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Notice of Public Meeting of the Alabama Advisory Committee for a meeting to hear public testimony regarding civil rights and voter accessibility in the state.

AGENCY: U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Announcement of meeting.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act that the Alabama Advisory Committee (Committee) will hold a meeting on Thursday, February 22, 2018, from 9:00a.m. to 5:00p.m. CST, for the purpose of hearing public testimony regarding civil rights and voter access in the state.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Thursday, February 22, 2018, from 9:00a.m. to 5:00p.m. CST

ADDRESSES: Connecting Life Center (Old Bellingham Center), 70 W Edmont Avenue, Montgomery, AL 36105.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David Barreras, DFO, at dbarreras@usccr.gov or 312-353-8311

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This meeting is free and open to the public. Persons with disabilities requiring reasonable accommodations should contact the Midwest Regional Office prior to the meeting to make appropriate arrangements. Members of the public are invited to make statements during an open comment period. In addition, members of the public may submit written comments; the comments must be received in the regional office no later than March 31, 2017. Written comments may be mailed to the Midwestern Regional Office, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 55 W. Monroe St., Suite 410, Chicago, IL 60615. They may also

be faxed to the Commission at (312) 353-8324, or e-mailed to David Barreras at

dbarreras@usccr.gov. Persons who desire additional information may contact the Midwestern

Regional Office at (312) 353-8311.

Records generated from this meeting may be inspected and reproduced at the Midwestern

Regional Office, as they become available, both before and after the meeting. Records of the

meeting will be available via www.facadatabase.gov under the Commission on Civil Rights,

Alabama Advisory Committee link

(https://www.facadatabase.gov/committee/committee.aspx?cid=233&aid=17) Select "meeting

details" and then "documents" to download. Persons interested in the work of this Committee

are directed to the Commission's website, http://www.usccr.gov, or may contact the Midwestern

Regional Office at the above email or street address.

AGENDA:

Opening Remarks and Introductions (9:00am-9:05am)

Panel 1: Alabama Secretary of State John Merrill(9:05am-9:30am)

Panel 2: U.S. Representative Terri Sewell (9:35am-10:15am)

Break (10:15am – 10:30am)

Panel 3: Voter Access

Panel 4: Community Organizations

Open Comment Period: (4:00 – 5:00PM)

Closing Remarks (5:00pm)

Dated: February 13, 2018.

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